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PARIS. March 18.—There was not the slightest indication at a late hour to-night of a break in the deadlock between the government and its striking employes, nor was there any prospect of an improvement in the situation. The strike, however, will be made the subject of discussion in the Chamber of Deputies to-morrow, and a solution of the problem may then be furnished.

The climax of the strike was reached to-night when five thousand repairers, linemen and bechanicians decided to join the strikers. These were the

In presenting the medal Speaker Cannon commented upon the theory



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single night; of gambling and of low associates.

Fanny Thompson, bound, gagged, and the finger marks of a strangler on her throat, was found dead in a rooming house in Michigan Avenue. She had been dead four days, and this period Mann was compelled to cover in minute detail to establish his allbi. Besides himself, he produced more than ascore of witnesses. The evidence against him consisted chiefly of his acquaintance with Mrs. Thompson when she was

Civil Service Commission the power of appointment of the clerks.

An amendment by Mr. Sterling, of Illinois, was agreed to providing that the appointments shall be made in conformity with the law of apportionment among the States under the civil service act.

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Through an amendment by Mr. Hay, of Virginia, which also was agreed to, messengers, assistant messengers, messenger boys, watchmen, unskilled laborers, and charwomen are exempted from taking examinations.

In order to prevent the spread of tuberculosis among government clerks an amendment by Mr. Benbett, of New York, was agreed to requiring that each census applicant furnish with his or her application a certificate of good heat!h.

As amended the bill then was passed.

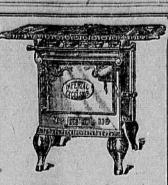
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had recognized in him a man who with straightforward directness had sought to do all in his power to serve their interests.

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Moreover, all Americans should pay honor to the memory of Mr. Cleveland because of the simplicity and dignity with which as ex-President he led his life in the beautiful college town wherein he elected to live. He had been true to the honorable tradition which has kept our Presidents from making money while in office. His life was therefore of necessity very simple, but it was the kind of life which it is a good thing to see led by any man who has held a position such as he held. Again wishing you all good fortune, I am, Sincerely yours, THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Mr. Francis Lynde Stetson, Chairman Cleveland Memorial Committee, 15 Broad Street, New York, N. Y. A poem written in honor of Mr. Cleveland by Richard Watson Gilder, and read by him, was a feature of the exercises.

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Fully 4,000 persons crowded into the chapel of the College of the City of New York to-night. President Tart, Senator Root, Mayor McClellan, Judge George Gray, Richard Watson Gilder and President Finley, of the City College, were among those on the plat-

Senator Root's Tribute. Senator Root, one of the speakers,

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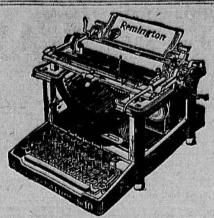
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"The preservation of constitutional government is as important as it was when our forefathers made the Constitution.

"The Democratic party should appeal to all men who seek no special privilege just as it did in the days of Seymour, Tilden and Cleveland.

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"Mr. Bryan has been three times honored by the highest nomination is the gift of our party. The almos unanimous sentiment from Democrat; have met is that a new man should lead in the next contest. I have no seen Mr. Bryan since that November election, but I cannot doubt that he must recognize the soundness of this view. "We should, however, insist that our standard bearer he one whose loyally to constitutional governmet and to the interests of the masses of the people is beyond doubt. There is no scarcity of Damocrats, who, with the responsibility placed upon them, would perform ably the highest official duties. "Democrats should not be discouraged. Six million four hundred thousand voted with the party last year. In contests of the Dast at times a great body of loyal men have never forsaken the party. At times it has presented issues that they disapproved, but they preferred it to the Republican platform, with more issues they disapproved.

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"I have listened in the Senate of the United States to Thurmond, of Ohio; Voorhees, of Indiana; Paimer, of Illinois; Bayand, of Delaware, and Eaton, of Connecticut. I long to hear from the Middle and Eastern States such men in the Senate once more.

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